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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

Governor-General's Reception.

WILL THE GENTLEMEN whose names are first mentioned on the various sub-committees to arrange matters in connection with the reception to Lord Stanley kindly call their respective committees together for the transaction of business at the earliest date possible.

W. J. DOWLER, Hon. Sec.

City Hall, Oct. 9th, 1889. oct9

MEDICAL COUNCIL

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS of the B. C. Medical Council will be held in the city of New Westminster on Saturday,

The 9th of November next,

Commencing at the hour of 9 a. m. Full particulars will be given by addressing the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
oct18-2w Registrar and Secretary.

RECEPTION

To His Excellency

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL

THE OFFICERS OF THE VARIOUS Societies and Associations in the City of Victoria are requested to attend a meeting at the CITY HALL, on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of arranging with the Procession Committee what part they will respectively take on the arrival of the Governor-General.

S. PERRY MILLS,
Chairman of Procession Committee.
Dated Victoria, 17th Oct., 1889. oct18

AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

A GRAND CONCERT

Will be held on

Tuesday next, Oct. 22nd, 1889

In aid of the funds of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. Commencing at 8 o'clock, p.m.

The following ladies and gentlemen have kindly volunteered their services on the occasion:

Mrs. Macnaughton-Jones	Mr. T. Floyd
Mrs. Hamilton	Mr. Boyle, R.N.
Miss Godington	Mr. Deacon, R.N.
Miss Monat	Mr. Tood, R.N.
Miss Mathews	Mr. Troghoan, R.N.
Miss Shaw	Mr. Vaughan, R.N.
Lieut. Chads, R.N.	Mr. Purches, R.N.

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By special permission, have also volunteered their services.

Reserved seats at Waitt's book store, Government street. Admission, Parquette, 50 cents; Dress Circle, front row $1; remainder of Dress Circle, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents; Boxes $2 and $5. oct18

VICTORIA THEATRE

LAST TWO NIGHTS

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett's great play.

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Seats on sale at Waitt's. oct12

LOST.

LOST.—A light liver colored Setter Pup, about 4 months old. Tips of toes white, and also breast. Wears a collar and tag. A liberal reward will be paid to the person leaving the same at 137 Cormorant street. oct14-1w

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WANTED.—Youth for ranch, that can milk. Address, B. C., TIMES Office. oct19-3t

WANTED.—A good steady Farm Hand. Must be a good milker and teamster. Apply to Pemberton & Son, 45 Fort street. oct18-tf

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WANTED.—Cabinet Makers and Machine Hands. Apply to John Weller, Fort street. oct9-tf

WANTED.—A Saleswoman wishes a position to take charge of the Millinery and Mantle Department. 20 years experience in the various branches of Dry Goods. Address, E. J., 61 Second Street, Victoria, B.C. oct3-2w

WANTED.—A girl about fourteen years of age (14), to look after one child. Apply to Mrs. Bailey, Esquimalt road. sep29

WANTED.—A girl to do light work in a small family. Apply to 74 Kingston St., James Bay. sep20

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FOR SALE.—A Yoke of Oxen. Apply to Hobert Porter, Island Market. oct17-1m

FOR SALE.—Lots 23 and 49, Block D, subdivision of Section Lot XXIII, Esquimalt Town. Price $700. For further information apply to T. TIMES office. sep6

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TO LET.—A furnished front bay window room, with grate and closet. Use of bath. Address A., TIMES office. sep24tf

TO LET OR FOR SALE.—The building known as the Skating Rink, on Yates street. For further particulars apply at No. 154 Johnson street. 1y19

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

Pithy Items of News Selected With Care.

Portland will build a fire boat costing $50,000.

A brakeman's convention is sitting in St. Paul.

Sir Edwin Arnold, the author, left San Francisco for China on the Belgic.

An express office in Birmingham, Alabama, was robbed last night of $9000.

Mr. Mulock has been re-elected vice-chancellor of the Toronto University.

Typhoid fever and diphtheria are prevalent in the city of Quebec at present.

Massue, Conservative, was elected for Richelieu, Quebec, yesterday, by 175 majority.

Five Apache Indians, convicted of murder, are to be hanged at Tucson, Arizona.

The new U. S. Cruiser San Francisco, built at the Bay City, is to steam 19 knots an hour.

The skull and bones of the late Dr. Cronin will be taken into court at the trial in Chicago.

Le Temps says the number of people who will have reached the great Paris show will be 26,000,000.

During the season building operations in Port Arthur by property capital alone amounted to over $60,000.

Archbishop Taché says the attempt to abolish French in the Manitoba schools is a sword that will cut both ways.

Wm. and Thos. Murray, of Pembroke, have sold their copper mine near Sudbury to an English firm for $25,000.

News received at Quebec states that the fisheries have failed at Esquimaux Point, and 100 families are starving.

It is said that Boulanger will go from Jersey to Brussels, thence to Geneva and then suddenly enter France and demand trial.

It is rumored that a blacksmith named Moore was clubbed to death at the Scarboro, Ont., fair. The police are investigating.

The Baptist convention at Ottawa had a lively discussion yesterday on the question of tax exemption. The debate is not concluded.

The minister to Hayti and San Domingo will try and persuade the islands to put themselves under the protection of the United States.

Premier Mercier and a number of Quebeccers went to St. Raymond yesterday by special train for the dedication of the new iron bridge there.

At a banquet in Atlanta, Georgia, last night, Governor Hill of New York was named as the right man for Democratic candidate for President.

The corner stone of the New York *World* building, thirteen stories high, and to cost one million dollars, was laid on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Caroline Ladd, youngest daughter of the richest man in Oregon, Mr. W. S. Ladd, was married at Portland Thursday to Mr. Pratt of Brooklyn.

The Countess of Meath is to address the league of ministering children in Quebec on Thursday. She is founder of this order of Little Christian Workers.

Dr. W. E. Morand, of Portland, has been arrested for manslaughter. Mrs. Hattie Reid, nee Miss Morrison, charges that he seduced her last winter, and then killed the child.

Mr. Fred White, of the militia department, Ottawa, is in Toronto inspecting the fort, to see if it will afford accommodation for the new cavalry school to be organized there in December.

The Protestant committee of the council of public instruction, Quebec, are going to summon a special meeting at once to take action on the government's reply to their resolutions re Jesuit estates matters.

D. J. S. Browne, formerly manager of the Glasgow and London Insurance Company, in Canada, has taken action against the company on account of an alleged libellous letter sent to agents in the Dominion.

Application will be made to parliament to incorporate the Alberta Colonization Railway to build a line from Cassels, on the Canadian Pacific, across the Bow River and through the Crow's nest Pass to the Pacific Ocean.

Word has been received at Halifax of the death of Mrs. Robertson, wife of the Rev. H. A. Robertson, missionary to the New Hebrides. Mrs. Robertson was a daughter of John Dawson, of Little Harbor, Pictou county, N. S.

There will be two vacancies on the supreme court bench in Nova Scotia shortly. Already Judge Smith, who is on six months' leave of absence, owing to ill-health, has placed his resignation in the hands of the Minister of Justice. Judge McDonald, of Antigonish, who has also been ill for some time past, is expected to resign shortly on account of bad health. Cape Breton is advancing its claim to have one of the positions given to a barrister from that quarter.

A BARGAIN!!

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THE KING IS DEAD.

Portugal's Ruler Passes Away And His Successor is Crowned To-Day.

Parnell Prophesies the Downfall of the Ministry—To Marry a Prince.

(By Postal Telegraph.)

Lisbon, Oct. 19.—The death of King Louis of Portugal occurred at 11 o'clock this morning. He was fifty-one years of age. The Crown Prince Charles, Duke of Braganza, in succeeding to the throne, assumes the title of Carlos I.

CONCESSIONS TO CATHOLICS.

London, Oct. 19.—Sir Edward Clarke, Solicitor-General, says the government will persist in making concessions to the Irish Roman Catholics, and will go ahead with the scheme of making further endowments for their benefit. Negotiations are now proceeding between Balfour and Archbishop Walsh.

THEY WILL WED.

London, Oct. 19—The marriage of Prince Hatzfeldt and Miss Clara Huntington will take place at Brompton on 28th of this month. It will be private.

A DANGEROUS GUN.

London, Oct. 19.—Distinguished army officers who have been interviewed on the Zalinsky dynamite gun are all of opinion that it is a dangerous weapon.

BOULANGIST EXPELLED.

Paris, Oct. 19.—The cabinet has expelled Laisant, Boulangist deputy, from the position of officer in the territorial army.

PARNELL'S PROPHECY.

He Predicts the Fall of the Salisbury Government.

London, Oct. 19.—Parnell has been interviewed on the condition of his health. He says he is better and expects to take part in the business of the coming session of parliament. The fall of the Salisbury government, he says, is either at the next session or at the session of 1891.

SEEKING NATALIE'S LIFE.

The ex-Queen Saved by a Delay in Starting.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 19.—An official message states that a plan was made to wreck near Sessy, in Roumania, the train on which ex-Queen Natalie, of Servia, recently traveled to Belgrade. The train started ten hours earlier than the time announced for its departure, and owing to this fact, the plan of the conspirators was frustrated.

A RAY OF HOPE.

Pauncefote Returns to Open the Behring Sea Snarl.

Ottawa, Oct. 19.—The government has been advised that Pauncefote, British minister at Washington, returns to the United States with authority to reopen negotiations for an arrangement of a new extradition treaty between the United States and Great Britain; also to arrange preliminary matters for the reopening of the fishery question and the adjustment of the Behring sea difficulty. It is learned from the state department that Blaine has intimated to Lord Sanderson his willingness to dispassionately review the matter in dispute informally before it is formally taken up for final adjustment and to see if an amicable settlement cannot in this way be secured without the help of arbitration or appointment of a commission.

EXULTANT LIBERALS.

They Rejoice Exceedingly at the Result of the British By-Elections.

London, Oct. 19.—The Liberals are exultant over the result of the five parliamentary by-elections, which have taken place since the prorogation of parliament. Of the five elections the Tories have been successful in only one—Stafford—where Mr. Chaplin went before his constituents before his appointment to a ministerial office, and his return by an overwhelmingly Conservative majority was a foregone conclusion, though his majority was reduced far below the expectation of his friends and the figure conceded by his opponents. The Liberal press taunt Mr. Joseph Chamberlain unmercifully on his characterization of these elections as a miniature election which would indicate by their results the outcome of the next general appeal to the people, and are disposed to regard him as a wonderfully accurate political prophet. The Conservatives were so confident of victory that they fixed the time of holding Buckingham fair in order that the celebration of their triumph might be made the more complete. The announcement of the result strangled the proposed jollification and threw a very wet blanket over the fair itself.

FATHER M'FADDEN'S TRIAL.

For the Murder of Policeman Martin—Selecting a Jury.

London, Oct. 18.—Nearly two hundred additional policemen arrived at Maryborough from Dublin this morning, and though the popular excitement continued, the court proceeded with the work of selecting a jury to try Father McFadden and his associates for the murder of Policeman Martin. The court room was filled with police, and the indignant parishioners of Father McFadden, whose violence yesterday compelled the court to adjourn, were excluded. The main object of the crown attorney appears to be to blacken the character of the accused priest, and to destroy his popularity with his people. The admission made to-day by one of the crown witnesses, a police official, who took part in the fighting in which the police inspector lost his life, is regarded as of the highest importance by the counsel for the defence. This man admitted that before Martin was struck at all he saw Father McFadden with blood running down his face, evidently from wounds in the head.

THE SAMOAN MATTER AGAIN.

A Correspondent Sees Trouble Between Germany and America.

London, Oct. 18—The Samoan difficulty, which was supposed to be settled, may yet give rise to serious trouble between Germany and the United States. Throughout the Berlin conference the Washington government had its way on almost every point. Prince Bismarck had determined to be conciliatory, and went to the full length in submitting to American demands, but Mr. Blaine, since the text of the treaty has been scrutinized by him, has expressed his dissatisfaction with some of the clauses. Although he won't directly withdraw from a treaty which he authorized the American delegates to sign, he may indirectly influence the senate to refuse ratification. The Berlin foreign office has further cause for irritation with the Washington government. The new American minister to Germany, Mr. Phelps, is delayed in assuming his functions till January next, making a gap of nine months in the ministerial representation of the United States. Mr. Blaine has meanwhile sent a consul to Berlin who is ignorant of the German language and of consular business. His rows with the German officials and with others, combined with the general dissatisfaction prevailing in official quarters with what is called American bumptiousness, may lead to serious trouble. Prince Bismarck is believed to have gone as far as he will toward cultivating friendship with Washington.

AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

The Provincial Exhibition in Victoria—Meeting of Members.

The meeting of the members of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, which was called for Thursday evening, 31st inst., has been postponed until Thursday, 7th November, as the first named date would conflict with the banquet to the Governor General, which is announced for the same evening. The object of the meeting is to appoint officers for the ensuing year, and to make arrangements for continuing the provincial exhibition as in past years. It is believed that a large majority of the friends of the society resident on the mainland are in favor of holding the next "provincial" in Victoria, and as a matter of course all the members in this district are of the same opinion. It is not the intention, as we announced a day or two ago, to make an "island" society; the friends and promoters of the object propose to have a society open to the whole province, in a word, they seek to perpetuate the "provincial exhibition" and will claim the annual government grant for that purpose. The right of New Westminster to hold an exhibition at the same time is admitted, and Victoria will claim the same right when the provincial is held at the former city. Influential farmers in Chilliwhack and at the delta of the Fraser have signified their intention of taking part in the next exhibition in this city, and besides have freely expressed their disgust at the conduct of the members at the late annual meeting, most of whom were drummed up for the occasion and for the special object of retaining the exhibition at New Westminster.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

A Resume of Events in the Sporting Arena.

A big crowd of sports went up to Wellington this morning to witness the 200 yard race between Peck of Nanaimo and Watson, the champion.

FOOTBALL.

Two very exciting games of football were played to-day at Beacon Hill, one an Association game between the Islanders and St. Paul's school, the other, a Rugby game, between scratch teams.

SPORTING SPARKLES.

A grand tournament is talked of by the members of the Victoria Athletic Club, to be given next month.

Quite a large sum of money has been bet on the result of the Vancouver-New Westminster lacrosse match. The odds are about even.

The Amities met last night and wound up all business for the season.

HORSE RACE.

A match has been made between A. Cassell's horse "Royal" of Nanaimo, and B. Gowdey's mare "Maude" of Ladner's Landing, to be run at the Driving Park next Saturday afternoon. The stakes are $500 a side and the distance half mile heats, best two in three. Both animals are very fleet.

BICYCLING.

Great interest is being excited among bicyclists over the world's tournament to begin in Toronto on Monday. A feature will be the 72-hour contest.

MR. A. STAVELY HILL.

An English M.P., Who Has Taken to Stanching and Local Argot.

Mr. A. Staveley Hill, M.P., who arrived from the east on Thursday evening by the C.P.R. will return via a southern route. The *Pall Mall Gazette Extra* of 1886 has the following memorandum in reference to Mr. Hill:

Mr. Alexander Staveley Hill, Q. C., D. Cnlw, was educated at St. John's College, Oxford, of which he was once a Fellow, joined the Inner Temple (of which he is now a bencher), was made Q. C. in 1868, and Recorder of Banbury in 1885. He has been in parliament since 1868, where he has been known for his red tie and his strong language. He was counsel to the Admiralty and Judge Advocate of the Fleet in Beaconsfield's administration, and could not at all understand why he was not promoted to something better by Lord Salisbury in 1885. "Those who looked through the names of the cabinet ministers would see," he said, the other day, "that it could only be considered as a temporary arrangement. While it contained some of the most valued names, it contained also some the mention of whom in parts of a governing body before any assembly would meet with but derision." It certainly did not last long, so perhaps Mr. Hill had his revenge. He has resources outside his profession, and lately published a very readable book, "From Home to Home," describing long vacation experiences for four years running on some land which he took up for ranching purposes on the eastern slopes of the Rockies, and showing how a D.C.L. can develop into a shrewd, hardy, and daring ranche man. The wild, free life of the Northwest has clearly great charms for Mr. Staveley Hill. He has become so thoroughly imbued with the local argot of the Far West that he seems to use it unconsciously, and may be expected to bewilder a judge on the bench or the House of Commons by speaking of a "played out" pleading, or of a "busted" political opponent. He is sixty-one.

Tramway Notes.

A. E. Mackay, C. E., has been appointed construction engineer of the Tramway Company.

Ground was broken to-day on the south side of James Bay bridge.

ARE YOU A VOTER?

Parties qualified to vote for members of the legislature and not yet registered, can procure blank forms for that purpose at the TIMES office. Every citizen over twenty one years of age should be a voter. When so many neglect to avail themselves of the franchise it is no wonder that a politician like "Honest" John remains at the head of a dishonest government. Register, and then "turn the rascals out."

Going Down Hill.

The city is again the haunt of young Herbert Hutton, who was recently arrested in Vancouver on a charge of larceny from the Dougall House of about $60. He was liberated from the law's clutches on his own recognizance and immediately came down here. To-day he appeared on the street in a beastly state of intoxication. It seems useless to advise this young man to take off his gaudy clothes and go to honest work.

Elegant New Dining Cars.

Will run daily, commencing Aug. 22nd over the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co., Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific Ry., between Portland and Missouri River. The cuisine and service are unexcelled.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A COLORED ORATOR

Appointed in Harvard College Notwithstanding Great Opposition.

Tanner's Successor—The President Appoints a Commissioner of Pensions.

(By Postal Telegraph.)

Helena, Mont., Oct. 19.—Official returns from every county show that the legislature will be Republican on joint ballot by seven majority.

A WATER FAMINE.

St. Paul, Min., Oct. 19.—Advices from southern Minnesota and Dakota, state that a water famine with all its horrors is feared in that locality. The drought has been severe and streams are all dry. Thousands of farmers are hauling water for miles for their stock and their own use. Great destitution is reported.

BIG BLAZE.

Virginia, Ills., Oct. 19.—Twenty business buildings were destroyed yesterday by the great fire which threatened for a time to destroy the whole city. The loss is $140,000.

STILES CLEARED.

Tucson, Ariz., Oct. 19.—The cases of T. L. Stiles, indicted for embezzlement, were called this morning and dismissed by the prosecuting attorney, he saying that he could not hope for a conviction with such evidence as he had. Stiles is at present a resident of Tacoma, and the above was hurled at him during the recent political campaign.

ASSIGNED.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—The R. B. Stone Lumber Company has made an assignment. Assets are $36,000; liabilities, $46,000.

JACK GOES ABROAD.

New York, Oct. 18—An evening paper prints a dispatch from Hamburg, Germany, saying that the mutilated body of a woman was found in Flensburg, a suburb of the city, under circumstances and surroundings suggesting the probability that "Jack the Ripper" has transferred his operations to the continent.

HALF YEARLY DIVIDEND.

New York, Oct. 19.—The Boston, Concord & Montreal railway company has declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent.

PROBABILITIES.

San Francisco, Oct. 19.—Generally fair weather predicted for Washington Territory until 6 a. m. Sunday.

PRAIRIE FIRES.

Bismarck, North Dakota, Oct. 19. An immense prairie fire, many miles in extent, is raging all day within a few miles of Bismarck. All efforts of the farmers to check the huge flames have been unavailing, and a large numbers of farms have been destroyed. A strong wind has been helping the fire along and the village of Menokan, fourteen miles below Bismarck, consisting of sixteen blocks, is entirely swept away, and the inhabitants reported destitute. The wind is rapidly carrying the fire to Bismarck and the city is enveloped in smoke and flying cinders. Preparations are made for a night watch around the outskirts of the town, as the residents apprehend great danger. The people of Menokan have telegraphed for aid which will be sent immediately.

SHIPPING.

San Francisco, Oct. 19. — Arrived — Steamer Umatilla from Victoria.

TAKES HER BACK.

New York, Oct. 19.—Mary Lehunt, the daughter of a wealthy resident of Wexford county, Ireland, and John Burns, her father's gardner, eloped to this country on the steamer Aurania, which arrived last Monday night, and were detained at Castle Garden by the emigration commissioners at a cable request of the father. George Lehunt, a brother of Mary, arrived on the Germanic last night and will take his sister back.

OBJECTS TO GOBBLES.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 19.—The Butte board of trade sent a dispatch to the secretary of the interior last night protesting against the issuing of patents to large tracts of mineral lands in Montana to the Northern Pacific railroad company. During a lengthy discussion it was shown that the scheme of the Northern Pacific company was to gobble up thousands of mineral land on false representation to the land office that they are "mountainous timber lands."

WILL MAKE THE BEST OF IT.

Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—Ex-President Wright, of the Northern Pacific railroad company, says that although he is displeased with the result of the Northern Pacific election, he is disposed to make the best of it.

CONSIDERED A SUCCESS.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The reported recent trial of the dynamite guns on the Vesuvius was received at the navy department to-day and found to be favorable. The board reports that the trials so far as proceeded with were a success, and the guns threw shells containing 200 pounds of dynamite one mile with reasonable accuracy. The board also reports that the crew were well protected. The rapidity of fire was not tested, but the board believed that it will be all right.

AWFUL TRAGEDY.

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 19.—Mrs. Joseph Smith and a companion were discovered in a house of ill-fame by the former's husband about 7:30 o'clock this morning. Smith shot, and it is believed fatally wounded his wife and then attempted the life of her companion, but the latter, whose name is unknown, made his escape. Smith then took his own life.

NEW COMMISSIONER.

Washington, Oct. 19.—General Raume, the new commissioner of pensions, took the oath of office before Chief Clerk Dawson of the Interior Department at 12 o'clock to-day. He was then officially introduced by Secretary Noble to officials in the department, and after some time spent in receiving congratulations of friends, Raume proceeded to the pension office, accompanied by Assistant Secretary Bussey. He was introduced to the chief of the division by General Bussey and Assistant Commissioner Smith. General Raume will assume charge on Monday.

BOILER EXPLOSION.

Anderson, Ind., Oct. 19.—A boiler in R. J. Walter & Co.'s sawmill exploded this morning, tearing the building to splinters, causing $3500 loss, and killing Horace Koonts and Walter Mingle and seriously injuring five others.

ARREST OF A SUSPECT.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Another important arrest was made last night in connection with the Cronin case and to which is attached considerable importance. The state's attorney refused to divulge the name of the latest suspect, but it is known that he was a member of company "20," was an intimate friend of two of the suspects on trial, and was prominent in the conspiracy to murder Dr. Cronin.

A SMART COLORED MAN.

Boston, Oct. 19.—The senior class of Harvard College to-day elected Clement Garrett Morgan (colored) as class orator. The election was hotly contested, but Morgan received a substantial majority. Morgan entered the college with little means and during the freshman year worked in odd hours in a barber shop. Last year, as a competitor for the Boylston prize, he carried the audience by storm and won first prize.

BANQUETTING THEM.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Elaborate preparations are being made in this city for the entertainment of the delegates to the International Congress, who will arrive this evening. Four hundred invitations have been issued for a banquet in honor of the delegates at the Grand Pacific Hotel to-night.

TREATY RELATIONS.

The U. S. Looking for Closer Relations—The Cabinet's Opinion.

San Francisco, Oct. 19.—Hawaiian advices, per steamer City of Peking, say that on the fourth inst., Minister of Foreign Affairs Austin sent a reply to a committee of Hawaiian citizens, who asked the cabinet for information concerning its action in regard to Hawaii in its relation with the United States. Austin says that the Hawaiian Minister at Washington has been instructed to ascertain whether the government of the United States is willing to entertain propositions looking to an extension of treaty relations, and should the minister find such willingness to exist, he is instructed to open negotiations for the conclusion of a treaty. The Cabinet is of the opinion that the interests of the country and of every race and industry there will be best served by a continuance of its present independent state, free from any protectorate or control on the part of any foreign government.

DELEGATES ENTERTAINED.

Grand Rapids Entertains Royally—Fire Inspection.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 19.—Grand Rapids has certainly done itself proud in its reception to the pan-American travelers. The tourists awoke this morning in Grand Rapids and as soon as dressed were escorted to the Morton House. The depot, hotel and all the buildings on the principal streets were profusely decorated with American and Spanish flags. A battery of artillery fired a salute as the party were driven from the cars to the hotel. Breakfast was served to the party at the Morton House, after which carriages were taken and three furniture factories, a carpet-sweeper factory and other places of interest visited. At 12 o'clock the visitors witnessed the parade of the fire department. This was a fine exhibition and the delegates applauded the special feats of the firemen warmly. At the finish of the parade the party went to Sweet's hotel, where lunch was served. Clem Studebaker joined the party last evening as they left for Ann Arbor. He says he will entertain the delegates at South Bend.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

Eli Lequime will leave for the south on Monday.

W. D. Le Sueur, of the P. O. department, Ottawa, is in the city.

P. Bowicke and wife, prominent residents of Vancouver, are in the city.

George Gerasche will leave for California on the steamer sailing Monday.

G. S. List, auditor of the Dominion Express Co., went east this morning.

J. N. Muir is at present teaching the scholars in the North Arm public school.

Mr. Sevenoaks, representing mining capitalists, came down from the interior last night.

E. H. Fletcher, P. O. Inspector, returned last evening from an official trip to the mainland.

J. W. Carey and W. H. Dixon, of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, passed through the city last evening.

Mrs. R. B. McMicking and Mrs J. R. Leighton returned on the City of Puebla to-day from a lengthened visit to California.

A personal notice in these columns stating that the Rev. D. M. Gordon had arrived in "Halifax," should have read "Hongkong."

Flemming Hewitt, who purchased the swift little craft Ada, left on her for his farm in Sooke yesterday, accompanied by his two nieces, the Misses Bale.

J. H. McDougall and wife arrived on the City of Puebla from San Francisco this morning. At present "Mc" represents the International Hotel, one of the leading hotels of the Golden Gate city.

Musical Notes.

The Young people's Literary Association, of the First Presbyterian Church, have nearly completed all arrangements for the coming concert. The character of this flourishing association's entertainments have hitherto been of first class merit and this one promises to equal any given before, if not to surpass all others, judging from the array of talent that has been secured.

The following ladies and gentleman have kindly promised to assist: Miss O'Neil, Miss Russell, Miss Jamieson, Mr. Loseby, (bandmaster of H. M. S. Swiftsure), W. C. Rhodes, Sergt. Mellon, (C Battery), Mr. Mott (late choirmaster, Montrose, Scotland), Prof. Sharpe, Mr. Brown, Mr. Kennaird and the choir of the First Presbyterian Church.

The singing of the latter will no doubt alone be worth hearing. They are well trained and composed of good material which is made most of by their capable conductor, and their rendition of the Scotch part songs most of them arranged for the famous Glasgow select choir by Fred. Archer, is a treat indeed. As a Scotch yeuglee few can compare with Mr. J. G. Brown. In the second part, Mr. Brown will sing "Golden Hours," composed by Mr. Loseby a short time ago. Many have requested the repetition of this lovely song, and Mr. Brown has decided to do so, and will be accompanied by violin (Mr. Loseby), and piano. The other names on the programme are a sufficient guarantee of the merits of their various selections. It will hardly be a prophecy to say that the schoolroom will be filled to overflowing.

The Election.

Sheriff McMillan has received from Ottawa the writ, authorizing him to hold an election of a representative, vice Baker, resigned. The nomination is fixed for the 28th inst., and polling if more than one candidate is nominated, for the 4th November. There will be no opposition to Mr. Earle, unless the *Colonist* puts its foot in it—as it did in the case of Mr. Ward—on the Restriction Act and other questions. THE TIMES will be pleased to see Mr. Earle one of the representatives of Victoria, especially if he will assure us in advance that he is "sound on the goose question." Election to office presupposes an endorsation by the electorate of principles held by the elected. Mr. Earle should remember the fate of Mr. Ward, and not let the *Colonist* speak for him.

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THE COLONIST STILL ON THE FENCE.

The Colonist still persists in maintaining its attitude on the fence, and we must say, considering how trying is such a position to the average citizen, we can only conclude that it is either very thick skinned or that its breeches are padded. However, we we shall not give up the attempt to dislodge our contemporary from its eyrie astride the Restriction Act fence. A position so painful excites our sympathies. Constant dripping will wear away a stone; constant sitting on the aforesaid fence must sooner or later abrade the Colonist's pantaloons. Moved, therefore, by journalistic sympathy, prompted by what we deem the best interests of British Columbia, and determined that neither the Colonist nor any politician shall disguise their venality behind noncommitalism, nor in the contention that the repeal of the Restriction Act is not in contemplation, we will now proceed to point out that the Hon. McKenzie Bowell and his assistant Mr. Paddock both assured the Chinese merchants of this city that the Restriction Act should be repealed. This promise was made last year when these gentlemen were in Victoria; and if this is not good proof that the repeal of the act has been in contemplation for some time, and if it does not indicate pretty plainly that the Conservative politicians of this city must have been privy to it, then circumstantial evidence is of no value whatever. Perhaps the Colonist will insist that this is a lie. Further, as good corollary proof of the ultimate intention of the government to throw open wide the gates of Chinese emigration, we have the suspension of the office of interpreter. This is but a straw, to be sure, but it is none the less significant of the way the wind is blowing. Our first allegation, however, is what we rely on most, and it has been wonderfully borne out by subsequent events. Now, all we have to say is, that if the people of this province are fools enough to be duped by the shallow game the Colonist is playing, it is all right. A Chinese fish market alongside the post office would be decidedly unique and a "fan-tan" establishment opposite the Presbyterian Church would furnish an edifying instance of two extremes.

DUAL NEWSPAPERS.

No little interest has been excited in press circles over the experiment of James Gordon Bennett in the matter of the publication of three distinct papers, all named the New York Herald, in the three cities of New York, London and Paris. If such an experiment succeeds, it will work a revolution in the newspaper business. With the spread of telegraphy all over the world, its share of the material of which newspapers consist, that is to say, news, if all this news can be collected at one point, and thence distributed, it might seem that it matters little where the point is situate. It was the idea of the elder Bennett that New York was a suitable central point at which all the news of the world could be gathered, and it was his dream to transmit this news or an epitome of it at least, by wire to London and San Francisco, and to publish it simultaneously in those cities at the same hour the Herald was appearing in New York. The theory was that if three newspapers could be run on the news collected for one of them, the expense of news gathering would be proportionately reduced for each, while each paper, of course, would contain its own separate local matter. It does not appear, however, that Bennett the younger is pursuing his father's plan. The London edition of the Herald, barring its name, bears no resemblance to its New York namesake either in respect to appearance or printed matter. It is emphatically John Bullish and its space is largely devoted to local matter. It contains what appears to be a thorough record of events in England, politics, sports, fashions, the turf, and the stock exchange, theatres, art, law and police; and it furnishes apparently an exhaustive chronicle of Paris life of the day before. But its dispatches from New York are not more copious than those of the Times and the Telegraph; the flavor of the paper is so unmistakably British that if instead of the New York it was called the London Herald, it must infallibly be taken for a thoroughly British publication. This is all right, it is probably business. Mr. Bennett is not publishing an American paper in London for glory. To spend money in an effort to educate the British to an appreciation of American journalism, the counterpart of the New York Herald published in London would doubtless excite a momentary interest, but in the long run the conservative English public would stick to the publication indigenous to the soil. In the United States everybody reads from the patch to the bootblack. There is a large newspaper patronage in the States who range over the newspaper in search of sporting and meretricious matter only. The big American dailies therefore can combine the excellencies of the British daily with the no less interesting matter to some people to which sporting papers are devoted. In England, however, the greater proportion of the newspaper reading class are in quest of solid intelligence. They are not interested in the nasty details of crime and scandal which are so largely sought in the United States and to which American papers pander so lavishly. It isn't the proper thing, you know, and so if the New York Herald in London is of British Britishy, we are made aware that such is in deference to British taste, and that the paramount idea is to make money out of the enterprise. Nothing is more certain than that the New York Herald as published in New York would not flourish in England in influential circles. The New York Herald in London therefore in a British dress is a business necessity.

THE RACE PROBLEM.

General S. D. Lee has written to the Atlanta, Ga., Constitution in regard to the "race problem," in which statements are made not in accord with the Northern idea. He says: The younger generation of men are not inferior to the older ones as employees. This fact is becoming more and more apparent every year, and to such an extent that any number of hands, male or female, now perform little more than one-third of the productive labor which was performed by the same number when slaves. The generally accepted idea has been that, with freedom, the race would receive new impulses growing out of the thought that their labor was for their benefit. It is impossible for one not living among them to tell how much of this indifference General Lee speaks of is the result of a condition of things which makes the negro about as much of a slave as when the law made him a slave. The simple fact of being free by law does not afford inspiration; the freedman needs to see in what way the boon of freedom may be made to improve his condition. The race problem is certainly susceptible of solution, though the white men of the South do not seem to have mastered it. There is without doubt a great deal of truth in this statement of General Lee's, but it is equally true that the policy of the South toward the negro has not been calculated to increase his value either as a laborer or as a citizen.

THE CURFEW.

Albina, Oregon, is going to try the curfew ordinance, the object being to keep children off the streets. The return to this ancient custom is a strong commentary on the relaxation of parental government. The most of us whose memory recalls three or four decades ago, remember more or less distinctly the parental mandate to be within doors at dark or take a thrashing. The curfew in those days consisted of the paternal "gad" or the maternal "slipper," and that these were efficacious does not require argument. The resumption of the curfew ordinance like legislation against cigarette smoking and kindred legislative puerilities, is worse than nonsense. The law never yet made anybody good. If there is no influence in the home circle to restrain youth from evil ways, the law is almost sure to fail of the purpose intended. The law which simply represses only affords a temporary respite from a carnival of excess. Sunday closing law and all that sort of thing are worthless as affecting young people so long as domestic influences are lax and the parental arm is unwilling to castigate. If the law must take cognizance of youths on the streets after nine o'clock at night, it should take the form of a punishment calling for the exercise of birch. If laws a thousand years old are required to keep boys off the streets after nine o'clock the ancient pillory, and "cat" might as well be resurrected too.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The people of Victoria, B. C., says the Globe, are getting up in the world. In the representation of that constituency, a Baker is likely to be succeeded by an Earle.

Down in Alabama a few days ago a young negro was convicted of violation of the local prohibition law and fined $100. He was a witness in a trial before a county justice, and when he went to the trial carried a bottle of whiskey in his pocket. After the trial he offered the justice a drink. The latter accepted, and then issued a warrant for the arrest of the negro for giving away liquor in a prohibition district.

Though the foreign trade of the Chinese Empire is increasing with some rapidity, it is still ridiculously small. In 1888 the exports were £28,000,000 and the net imports £25,000,000, or a total trade of less than fifty millions, about one-fourth as much as the trade of Belgium, and a very insignificant showing for a country of 383,000,000 inhabitants. Protectionists may find here a delightful example of a "self-contained country" haughtily independent of the rest of the world.

There has been some talk of the Duke of Fife being made the successor of Lord Stanley. An exchange points out, however, that there is little probability of such a thing, inasmuch as the Duke is largely interested in the banking business to which he gives close attention, although there are circumstances and considerations which would make such an appointment possible. "Among these would be the wisdom and expediency, or both, of giving men who have made alliances with the royal family a lesson in the science of government. Canada would be the best place for an education of that kind, being free and democratic." Should the Duke be offered the appointment and accept, we recommend him to spend half his time under the tuition of James Bay and the Colonist office.

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REPLY.

Gentlemen:—I thank you most heartily for your very numerously signed requisition inviting me to allow myself to be placed in nomination as a candidate to represent you in the Dominion House of Commons, and also for your expression of confidence as to my fitness for the position.

I have much pleasure in acceding to your request, and can assure you that if elected I will do my utmost in the interest of the constituency and Province, according to the present administration's generous but independent support.

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RANDOM REFLECTIONS

The Season of Social Pleasantries Approaching—Timid Sports of Victoria.

Scare Headings in Big Dailies—What the Colonist Knows About Australia.

The cold chill that now strikes deep into early risers when they come in contact with the water, presuming of course that most of our citizens are "citizenesses" perform their regular morning ablutions, and the shiver that runs up one's spine as he faces his front door on these crisp healthy October days, herald the gradual approach of winter with its train of social pleasantries and delights that promise this year to eclipse anything ever seen here before. Hospitality and good cheer are beginning to fill the air. Wives are already sounding their devoted husbands in regard to balls, reunions, and the cost entailed thereby. Our millinery and drapers' establishments blazon forth the excellence of their furs, shawls, muffs and tippets from shop windows, presenting a brilliant array of dark colors, and causing many of the fair sex, who glance fondly at them, to involuntarily break the tenth commandment and sigh for better things. The social season this year will undoubtedly be a gay one. Since last winter the city has become the home of several families who will no doubt join heartily in many pleasant gatherings, and add considerably to the numerical strength of Victoria society. The Swiftsure is to remain in the province throughout the season, and the detention of the flagship will be certain to cause the list of attractions to swell to a large extent. The officers and men of our navy are always in the front rank of gayety no matter in what quarter of the globe we find them. Lord Nelson could dance like a French professor. There is no earthly reason why the followers of his noble profession to-day should not be just as gay, and for the matter of that just as brave and honorable.

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As long as man makes guns and the Almighty makes birds there will always be found any number of individuals who when occasion offers go out to shoot and try their hand at fashionable murder. This at least is what a vegetarian will tell you, but as a general rule people nowadays take a genuine delight in hearing the loud whir-r-r through the bushes, the quick aim, the report, and that most delightful moment of all when the sportsman sees his mark make a wild clutch at the air and come tearing down through the clear air to the ground in front of him with a dull, sullen thud. But there is another side to this question. Even in Victoria we are not free from that *genus homo* known as the "timid sport." The gentleman, you know, that togs up in chamois leather, shoulder traps, a Buffalo Bill hat, and a costume of antique absurdity, when he goes out to hunt game. During the first three weeks of the shooting season he is wildly enthusiastic, and puts a shot into hedges and brushwood with a recklessness that is appalling. But after this period he cools down, and it is then that he really becomes a public nuisance. Taking the Nanaimo train on Saturday morning he and two or three chums lounge about in elegant attitudes on the journey, telling each other in a tone that is plainly meant for the ears of everyone in the car, what feats they are going to perform. This conversation gets monotonous in ten minutes, but the T. S. generally keeps it up for three and a half hours. At Nanaimo the crowd leave the train and plentifully supplied with cartridges and whiskey set out for the Nanaimo river. Arrived at the bridge spanning the stream, they commence operations. At present the river is full of a big run of "dog nose" salmon, a fish as everybody knows utterly unfit for eating, and it is against these that the sports wage war until darkness, brought on either by whiskey or the approach of twilight, warns them to desist. Then off back to Nanaimo to make a night of it and next day comes a repetition of the same performance. Monday's train lands at the Victoria station a very dilapidated set of sports who after an eye opener at the first hotel proceed to a local poulterer and purchase two or three brace of grouse, which they proudly bear home across their shoulders. And at night in bed their dreams maybe are filled with visions of hundreds of big fish lying putrefying on the banks of the river, and breeding fever and kindred diseases among the numerous homes on either side of the water. Some times this fish murder is varied by banging at a bottle. They like this better because they never by any chance hit the bottle and there is plenty of time for reflection—and whiskey—between the shots. Verily the T. S. is a noble animal, but all the same I respectfully submit to the Nanaimo authorities the advisability of keeping an officer on the bridge I speak of, armed with a horsewhip or a couple of charges of saltpetre. An application of medicine like this would have a salutary effect.

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What journalists know as "scare heads" in daily papers are being carried to a most absurd pass nowadays, particularly among the big dailies of San Francisco. Last week one of the morning papers in that city heading the report of an execution in Buffalo, printed the words, "Gore, Gore—Gollam Goes to the Gibbet—A Bloodthirsty Backslider." On Saturday the *Call* remarked over an important item stating that General Boulanger was seasick while crossing the British Channel, "Tempest Tossed—Boulanger the Victim of Seasickness." And all this in type nearly the size of the paper itself. Give this kind of thing unlimited license, and in another five years what will it come to? The problem is a deep one. By-the-bye, here is another I have just noticed, "Judge Jeffries Jugs Jones in Jail." Alliteration seems to be all the fashion. What wonderful ways wicked wons will wobble!

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The editorial columns of Tuesday's *Colonist* contain an idiotic half column about Western Australia, a subject that the writer plunges into with all the confidence generally shown by a man who knows nothing of what he is writing, and whose desire is to impress his knowledge on a gullible public. To dispose of the matter in a few words, I might point out to him that the Australian motto of "Australia for the Australians," instead of being the offspring of a "narrow and intolerant policy," is rather the outcome of the best spirit that a young nation can show. It was the spirit that rid Australia of its penal settlements and took the blot of shame from its records. It was the spirit that enabled settlers to stand firm against the attempt of England to force them to repeal their exclusion laws against the Chinese two years ago, and it is the spirit that has given to the island continent in the southern seas a perfect unfettered freedom though her ties with the old country are none the less strong for that. How anybody can suppose that a young government like that of Western Australia would, if given full power to act, inaugurate a land policy inimical to immigration is incomprehensible. What they will do though will be to allow no immigration "scum," which in plain English means that the colonists will once more foil the attempts made in other colonies by the British government in 1866 and again in 1879 to foist on to the continent not her respectable surplus population but a swarm of individuals recruited from the criminal classes of England, Ireland and Scotland.

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AN EX-TRAMP'S STORY.

WHY HE NEVER CAN REFUSE A POOR FELLOW A QUARTER.

He Went to See His Sweetheart and Had to Steal a Ride Home—An Escaped Convict Exchanges Clothing with Him—His Experience in Actual Tramping.

One of these gentlemen took a quarter from his pocket and handed it to the old man, at the same time saying to his friends that he could never refuse a tramp money, because he had once been a tramp himself. He was immediately assailed by a storm of inquiries, and finally told this story of his strange experiences:

You gentlemen may not know, he said, that, at one time I was a clerk here in Atlanta. I didn't like standing behind a counter all day and I found it especially hard work to keep my mind on my business, because all my thoughts were taken up by a dear girl who lived a long way off. It was my habit to go down twice a month to see her. I would leave Atlanta Saturday afternoon, spend Sunday with her and return in time for work Monday morning. These little trips used up all my spare cash and I was kept in a constant state of dead broke. A time came when I had to buy a new suit of clothes, and when I had paid for them I had just enough money left to buy a railroad ticket to the place where my sweetheart lived and return. I thought nothing of that, however, as I was in the habit of staying with the young lady's father over the one night I remained. As bad luck would have it, when I reached the place the house was full of company and I was obliged to go to the hotel. I didn't sleep much and didn't have a very good time. The next day I was thinking all the time how I was going to get back. I thought I would borrow the money from the girl's father. I hated that so much that I concluded to jump my hotel bill instead.

RESULT OF A BRIGHT IDEA.

Suddenly a bright idea occurred to me. I could pay my bill, leave like a gentleman and then hide in an empty freight car, and so return to Atlanta. That night I said good-by at the usual time and left for the depot. But instead of taking the passenger train I slipped around and crawled into a box car. After a long wait I heard some one running over the roof of the car, and soon after we pulled out. It was rough riding, but finally I grew sleepy and, placing my traveling bag under my head, lay down. I could see the stars through the open door and lay there and watched them, thinking of the dear girl I had left behind me, until, worn out by anxiety, I fell asleep.

I must have slept very soundly, because I had only an indistinct sensation of stopping several times and backing, with occasional severe jolts. After one of these stops I must of half awakened, because I seemed to see a man's head looking into the car. Just as we were moving ahead again the head rose until a complete man seemed outlined between me and the shining stars outside. I started up, feeling sure some one was in the car besides myself. It was dark as pitch, except just by the open door, and I could distinguish nothing. I called and asked if any one was there, but received no answer. Then I thought it was all a dream and lay down again and went to sleep.

I was rudely awakened by a kick in the ribs, and as I tried to rise something struck me on the head, knocking me flat. Then I heard a voice out of the darkness, telling me take off my clothes or my brains would be knocked out. I tried to remonstrate, but another blow on the head was my only answer. When I came to myself I was quite naked, and sitting in the door I could see the figure of a man. As I moved he sprang up and came to where I was lying. He kicked towards me the clothes he had himself taken off and told me to put them on. It was too dark to see anything, besides I was bewildered by the blows on the head and very cold, so I did as I was told. This figure which I could indistinctly see stood by with a club ready to strike until the train began to slow, then he ran to the door and jumped out.

IN A TIGHT FIX.

Finally we reached a station, and I saw a man run out from the depot and say a few words to the train hands. Then the whole party came toward the place where I was concealed, and as they did so I heard a few words, among them "convict"—"telegraphed"—"escaped"—"this train"—were plainly distinguishable. Suddenly a bright light flashed into my car and I heard them all cry, "He's here!" Then half a dozen men jumped in, seized me and dragged me into the depot. For a moment the light in the room blinded me after the darkness. Then I caught sight of my own figure in a small glass over the mantelpiece and started back with horror. I was dressed in the striped clothes of a convict. I tried to explain, but the men would not listen to me. They threw me into a small closet and locked the door. I could hear my captors talking on the outside, and the station master told how a notorious criminal had escaped from a convict camp down below, and how he had been telegraphed to search every train for him, as it was thought he might have concealed himself in a box car to get away.

The next morning a man came who said he was a sheriff, and put handcuffs on me and took me to jail. I tried to talk to him and tell him all my troubles, but he would not listen to me. He told me, however, that some one from the prison camp from which I was supposed to have escaped, would be up that evening and take me back. My situation was very hard. I entered that car only intending to steal a ride, and I was taken from it a convicted and sentenced burglar.

That night the convict camp keeper arrived, and as soon as he saw me he began to swear frightfully. He told them I was not the man he wanted. Then they began to believe my story, but even then they only believed it in part. They concluded that I was a tramp trying to steal a ride and scouted the idea of my being a gentleman. Early the next morning they gave me some old clothes, very ragged and dirty, and a pair of old shoes, and told me to clear out. I didn't know a soul in the place, and every one I asked for help turned away from me with some remark about the cheek of a tramp. Finally I was forced to really become a tramp and made my way home on foot. I tried to steal another ride on a freight train, but they found me and kicked me off, so I walked all the way home, begging a little food by the way. It took me two days to do it. Fortunately it was night when I arrived here. I slipped into my room like a thief and I did not feel like an honest man again until I had taken a bath and burned my tramp's outfit.

"I suppose," remarked one of the listening senators, "that that little trip cured you of going to see that particular sweetheart."

"No, it didn't," replied the ex-tramp. "She is my wife now, but I can never refuse a fellow a quarter when I see he is down on his luck."—I. M. W. in Atlanta Constitution.

In a New State.

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"How much land do you own?"

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"How much did you own in Wisconsin?"

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the undersigned until Wednesday, the 23rd day of October instant, at 4 p.m., for blasting rock on the north side of Discovery street between Douglas and Blanchard.

Specifications may be seen at the City Surveyor's office.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

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MUNICIPAL.

To Tradesmen and Others;

From and after this date I will not accept any orders from workmen or contractors employed by the Corporation.

CHARLES KENT, Treasurer.

Victoria, Oct. 8th, 1889. oct8

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PREVOST.
Dated, Victoria, February 12th, 1889. m15

Estate of James Williams, Late of Juneau, Alaska, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having any claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator.
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KOM WO TAI.

Assignment for the benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 51 VIC., Chap. 115, entitled the "Trustees and Executors' Act," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ong Schong, trading as Kom Wo Tai, General Merchant, at Lillooet, British Columbia, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of December, A.D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 1st day of October, A.D. 1889.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for the Trustees,
Morris Strouss and Dong Tai,
oct1-tf Victoria, B. C.

JOHN FINLAYSON.

Assignment for Benefit of Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL creditors and persons having claims against John Finlayson, grocer, of Victoria, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of October, 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Finlayson, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims of those of which they shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts and claims they shall not have had notice. Debtors of the said John Finlayson are requested to pay up their accounts to the undersigned immediately.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1889.

R. P. RITHET & CO.,
For R. P. Rithet and Thos. Earle, assignees.
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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway from a trail on the west side of Okanagan Lake to the lake north of Trout Creek, commencing at a trail about 150 yards north of Gartrell's B. W. post running east through a natural pass for cattle to lake to the flat; thence north to the line between Gartrell's and my own land; thence west along said line to lake.

THOS. ELLIS.
Victoria, October 5th, 1889. oct5-1m

Certificate of Incorporation.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY CERtify that we desire to form, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1888," (Provincial), and amending Acts, a Company as hereinafter mentioned.

1. The corporate name of the Company shall be "The Pacific Shoe and Leather Company, Limited Liability."

2. The objects for which the Company is formed are:—To conduct a general (mining, leather, boot and shoe manufacturing business, and to carry on a general trading business, and to purchase and hold and sell real and personal estate for the purposes of the Company, and generally the doing of such acts as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects of the Company.

3. The amount of the capital stock of the Company shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

4. The time of the existence of the Company shall be thirty years.

5. The number of the Trustees shall be three, and their names are William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh, and Arthur Heathorn, who shall manage the affairs for the first three months.

6. The principal place of business of the Company shall be in the City of Victoria.

7. A stockholder shall not be individually liable for the debts or liabilities of the Company, but the liability of a stockholder shall be limited to his proportion (based upon the amount of his respective shares) to assessments legally levied, and the charges thereon, if advertised as delinquent during the time that he is a shareholder, upon a share or shares of which he is the holder, as shown by the stockholders' register book of the Company; assessments and charges thereon, when taken collectively, shall not exceed in the aggregate the value in dollars printed or shown upon each share when issued.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the City of Victoria aforesaid, the 13th day of August, A. D. 1889.

WM. SMYTH,
S. F. McINTOSH,
A. HEATHORN.

Signed, sealed, and delivered and acknowledged by the said William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh and Arthur Heathorn in the presence of H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Notary Public, B. C.

Filed (in duplicate) 19th August, 1889.
C. J. LEGGATT,
aug22 Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of tender may be obtained at this office on written or personal application, and samples seen at the same time. JAMES H. INNES, Naval Storekeeper, etc.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 6th September, 1889.
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Or address McPherson's P.O., E. & N.R. sep28

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A VERY DESIRABLE FARM of 200 acres in Cowichan District, 2½ miles from E. & N. R.R. Forty acres in cultivation. Orchard of upwards of 50 bearing fruit trees. Good garden well stocked with small fruits. Twenty head of cattle, team, wagon, harness, etc. Address,

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MISCELLANEOUS.

TO RENT.

TO RENT.—A NEW HOUSE, JUST COMpleted. Apply to either T. W. Pierce, 22 Pioneer street, or at the building, corner of Bridge and Henry streets, Rock Bay. aug31

NOTICE.

JOHN W. KELLES AND S. C. BURRIS have this day entered into partnership for the purpose of manufacturing and dealing in Sewer Pipe, Tile, Terra Cotta, and other clay wares.

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J. W. KELLES.
S. C. BURRIS.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land in the Coast District, viz.: Commencing at a stake planted on the west side of Waddington Harbour at the head of Bute Inlet thence S. W. 20 chains; thence N.W. 40 chains; thence S. E. 20 chains, or to the coast line; thence southerly along the coast line to the point of commencement.

C. G. HOBSON.
Vancouver 10 th. Oct. 1889. Oct. 14-3m

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., R. C. R. Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

A. H. EISBRANE, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, G. R. S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas Street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.

jel 1y W. J. QUINTAN, Scribe E.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., R. C. R. Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

jel 1y R. B. ESMOND, Secretary.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.

E. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct9

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" Comox " Nanaimo, Thursday, 7.00 a.m.
" Nanaimo " Comox, Friday, 4.00 a.m.
" Comox " Nanaimo, Saturday, 7.00 a.m.
" Nanaimo " Victoria, Sunday, 7.00 a.m.

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Time Table No. 11

Taking effect March 28, 1889.

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Vancouver to Victoria daily except Monday at 11:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Lamner's Landing and Lulu Island Sunday at 7 o'clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leaves New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 14.30 o'clock, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Frazer River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way Landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

Northern Route.

SS. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves for Alberni Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification. Steamers leave on Standard Time.

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Leave Port Townsend ..... 11 a. m.
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Leave Seattle ..... 3 p. m.
Arrive Tacoma ..... 4.15 p. m.

TO VICTORIA, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Tacoma ..... 7 a. m
Arrive Seattle ..... 8.15 a. m.
Leave Seattle ..... 8.45 a. m.
Arrive Port Townsend ..... 1.35 p. m.
Leave Port Townsend ..... 2 p. m.
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WEDNESDAY EVENING

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Artistic enlarged portraits, Fleming's, Government street.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street.

The Jubilee Range for sale by McLennan & McFeely, 70 Yates street.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weller's.

—The finest tailoring establishment in Victoria is Campbell & Simpkins Government street.

—"We lead" for elegance, style and beauty of finish. Hall & Lowe, Government street.

—People can order their coal at the Rock Bay Coal Yard by ringing up telephone 559.

—The best Wellington coal is kept at the Rock Bay Coal Yard. Office, 53½ Johnson street.

—The report of the drowning of the mate of the Adele, Mr. John Steele, has been contradicted.

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street.

—The ship Yosemite, coal laden for San Francisco, passed down to sea to-day in tow of the Lorne.

—Parlor suites, lounges and easy chairs in endless variety at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weller's.

—A conversazione will be given on Monday evening by the ladies of the Reformed Episcopal church.

—A liberal discount on three-ton lots at the Rock Bay coal yard, telephone 559. Full weight guaranteed.

—Coal is delivered on short notice from the Rock Bay Coal Yard, A. Heathorn, agent, 53½ Johnson street.

—Another carload of stoves just arrived for us. A fine selection of heaters at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St.

—John T. Pierre has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods. Go and see them at No. 96 Yates street. 1m

—The semi-annual examination of the British Columbia Medical Council will be held at New Westminster the 9th of November.

—Fresh Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery, Young Bros., Government street, Telephone Call, No. 401.

—Mr. C. D. Bryant, of Saanich, has purchased 20 acres adjoining his farm, part of the estate of the late J. McMillan, for $1,000.

—Upholstery worth seeing at Hastie & Lockhart's; and the prices worth enquiring into before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street.

—Twenty-eight dozen French corsets, P. D. style, long, $1.25 to $2.75. Satin corsets, $2.75. Argyle House, Clarence block, Douglas street.

—The remains of Peter Liperty were interred this morning at 8 o'clock. Services for the dead were conducted at St. Andrew's pro Cathedral.

—Sideboards, hall racks, bedroom suites, carpets, mattings, &c., will be slaughtered for the next 30 days at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and house-furnishings in the province at John Weller's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—A lecture on the art of war was listened to last night at the drill shed by the non-commissioned officers of the B. C. B. G. A., Master Gunner Cornish of C Battery as the speaker.

—Mr. W. Losee returned from a hunting trip to the Summit yesterday, bringing a large buck. Deer, which were fairly plentiful in those parts about a week ago, he says have gone back in the mountains again.

—Call at G.W. Bigger's, 86 Government street, for fresh Baltimore Oysters, 25 cents per plate, 70 cents per quart, 35 cents per pint; pails to carry them in. Delivered to all parts of the city, wholesale and retail.

—Don't let anyone convince you that Hastie & Lockhart have not the finest line of goods, and at prices equally as fine, until you have made a personal examination for yourselves. No. 62 Government street.

—Received this day at the Albion House new ulsters and jackets, knitted wool goods, plain and fancy dress materials, winter gloves, hosiery, etc. A full line of blankets, quilts, flannels and staples of every description always on hand.—Brown & White.

—A white carrot weighing 6½ pounds, grown in the garden of J. O'Connor, Coburg street, James Bay, is exhibited on the "corner." By appearance it would be hard to beat, and is a splendid sample of what can be shown at our Island agricultural exhibition next year.

CHURCH NOTICES.

The services of the Calvary Baptist Church will be held in the Victoria Theatre on Sunday at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Subject of sermon in the morning—The Dual Nature of the Christian. In the evening—Telling our age.

The regular services will be held in the Reformed Episcopal Church to-morrow, morning and evening, Rev. Dr. Reid officiating.

Obituary.

Hugh McKenzie, father of Mr. John McKenzie, carriage builder, of this city, died at Saanich on Wednesday. The deceased, who was an old resident of the province, was a native of Nova Scotia, and aged about 85 years.

Fire Alarms Arrive.

The City of Puebla brought up to-day the new Gamewell fire alarm system to be placed in operation in the city. The agreement calls for the work to be completed by November 1st, and active operations will begin at once. The system is a splendid thing for any city, as its working is so simple and accurate that a fire can be located the instant an alarm is sent in. The contract price for this improvement is $4800.

Fireworks Galore.

Sen Kim, an enterprising resident of Cormorant street, has about completed arrangements for a grand pyrotechnical exhibition to be given in the Caledonian grounds next Wednesday evening. The fireworks include some of the most wonderful devices ever seen, even in China—the home of the firecracker and the more interesting brother—and the display will, without doubt, be one of the finest ever seen on the coast, and certainly far superior to the best ever before seen in this city. If possible a first-class band of music will be secured for the evening, when, if the weather permits, the spectacle will doubtless attract a big crowd.

Patching the Court House.

The law courts building, sometimes called the Bastille, is still in a state of evolution, and what will yet come out of this remarkable pile of brick and mortar, is a puzzler to anyone who has made the matter a study. The particular portion of the building under consideration to-day is the Supreme Court chamber, where workmen are engaged in lining the lower part of the walls with Chinese matting and the upper part with a kind of flock paper. The object in doing this is to try and drown those horrible echoes which occasionally startle the judges and make the hair in their lordships' wigs stand on end in an alarming manner. The effort of counsel and witnesses to "attune their voice to the echoes," as one of their lordships sarcastically suggested on one occasion, has not met the acoustic difficulties of the place, which will yet necessitate such padding within and without before this giant government blunder is rectified.

The Ferry.

The Islander left Vancouver for Victoria at 8:30 to-day.

Slightly Incorrect.

The Colonist of this morning states that the ship Benton is five or six days overdue from Frisco. The Benton reached Royal Roads last Thursday and was towed up to the Royal City by the tug Active this morning.

A Sarcastic Crank.

Truth. "Frenchie" is a well-known character in New Westminster, and is as sarcastic as he is cranky. Here is his latest: "It will be a God-send to the farmers of this district when the Southern railway is completed, then they will be enabled to get something to eat."

The Indian Commissioner.

An Ottawa dispatch confirms a report published in THE TIMES a few days ago respecting the Indian commissioner's office. The dispatch says: "Dr. Powell, superintendent of British Columbia Indians, was superannuated on Oct. 1st. It is understood that A. W. Vowell, provincial gold commissioner, succeeds him."

An Old License.

A Chinese dry goods peddler was arrested this morning by Officer Redgrave for hawking his goods without a license. When caught John vehemently protested that he held a license, but when it was produced and inspected it was found to be nearly two years old. The Mongolian merchant contributed $20 to the city treasury for a license with a more recent date, and again took up his pack.

Made Fire-Proof.

In putting an additional storey to Langley & Co.'s building, Yates street, the effective means taken to make a building fire-proof a quarter of a century ago, was discovered. The space between the roof and ceiling and between the walls and lining was filled as solid with rock as if the house had been built for a fort. Some think the contractor was from the cyclone country and that he put the stones in the building to hold it down.

The Fastest of All.

The steamship City of Puebla, Captain Debney, arrived from San Francisco at noon to-day, fifty hours out. This beats all her previous passages by an hour or so. The trip up was splendid, a fresh breeze blowing which kept the fires burning brightly. The vessel brought 2040 tons of freight, of which 106 was for this port. After discharging with all speed possible, the steamer left for Seattle to break the record to that port also.

A Meteorological Authority.

Scene—At the post office, to-day.

Citizen (with political aspirations)—You are doing better; keeping very quiet lately.

Newspaper man—Too blank quiet. Nothing clears the air like a good thunderstorm.

Citizen (with political aspirations)—A thunderstorm is all right till you are struck by lightning; see?

Tra-la-la-la.

Tra-la.

Music in the Park.

Weather permitting, the Philharmonic band will perform the following selections of music at the Park Pavilion to-morrow, commencing at 2 p. m.:

Grand March, The Royal Procession	Haro
Anthem, O, Father, Whose Almighty Power	Metcalfe
Fantasia, Happy Moments	W T Harris
Potpourri, Dream Songs	Sydney Linton
Selection, The Forest Echoes	R DeLevey
The Heavens are Telling	Haydn
Potpourri, Joys of Life	Ch Coote
Finale, Some Day we'll Wonder Back Again	W T Harris

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Slight Blaze.

About half past seven last evening an alarm of fire was turned in from Alfred street, a fire having broken out in a house occupied by Mr. Fred Williams. The department were out in their usual expeditious way and soon had the fire under control. Part of the furniture was removed, but about $200 worth was damaged by water and fire, on which there is no insurance. The blaze originated from a defective stovepipe, sparks having fallen out between the ceiling and the roof. The house was owned by Mr. W. White and was partly insured.

For the Sunny South

Several friends of Miss Edith E Carter gathered at the residence of her parents, 69 View street last evening, to bid *bon voyage* to the young lady who leaves on Monday for Honolulu, her former home. Miss Carter was the recipient of several very handsome presents, and will carry with her fond memories of friends here. Among the company were several well known musical people of the city and a very pleasant time was had, vocal and instrumental music being enjoyed. At an early hour the party broke up, all wishing the fair traveler a pleasant trip and safe return home soon.

Bonding Coal Lands.

The Nanaimo *Free Press* understands that negotiations have been completed by Mr. R. M. Robins and Mr. L. Rosenfelt on behalf of the New Vancouver Coal Company, for the bonding and purchase of the extensive coal lands in Cedar District, about five miles distant from Nanaimo, and nearly contiguous to the present South Field property of the company. The amount of land purchased will aggregate 3,200 acres, and is the same land which the famous Dr. Griffin secured a bonding right thereon, and which he so ingloriously allowed to lapse by effluxion of time. Among those who have bonded their land are Mayor Bate, E. Quennell, Charles York, T. D. Jones and T. Wall.

Hardly Metropolitan.

The following item, which appears in the Vancouver *World*, indicates that the terminal city is still in a somewhat primeval state:

"In the southern part of the city bears are quite numerous. For some time past John Taylor, gardener, Heater street, Mount Pleasant, has noticed bear tracks in the rear of his garden, on the timbered side. He set a trap, and on Monday caught a large black bear measuring from tip to tip 5 feet 10 inches."

Jwellers in the effete east will see in the item another attraction of Vancouver—bear hunting in the streets. It has always been supposed, however, that bulls—real estate ones—were more numerous there than bears.

Supt. Boycraft.

The affairs of Supt. Boycraft, whose illadvised flight from this province has caused a good deal of unfavorable comment, are not in nearly such a bad shape as was at first supposed. In fact it is now stated that he left sufficient property to cover all his debts. His whole indebtedness, so far as known, has been settled up with the exception of $2500, and his property in Comox, English Bay, and Yale will quite cover that sum. This is very satisfactory to his creditors, who, in most cases had advanced the cash, but it leaves the public without a good reason for his hasty departure from the city, unless it be the same as was witnessed many times before, of a man involved in temporary difficulty without sufficient courage or bravery to meet it manfully.

Marine.

The now historic Black Diamond is to have her name changed soon.

The steamer Pilot was on the ways today receiving a new propeller.

The coal on the scow which got ashore at Dodd's Narrows, has all been lost.

The Yosemite started for the Fraser this morning to get another load of salmon.

The bark Hunted, salmon laden, will sail for England about the middle of next week.

The cargo of salmon for the Leba is now loaded. She will sail with prompt dispatch.

The steamer City of Puebla arrived from 'Frisco to-day with a heavy freight.

The steamer Sardonyx completed discharging salmon into the bark Hunted at Esquimalt to-day, and came back to this port. She is now loading for the north.

ROUTE NOT CHANGED.

The Tramway Rails Will be Laid as First Arranged.

At the meeting of shareholders of the Electric Tramway Company last night held in Messrs. Bourchier & Higgins' office, about 2000 shares were represented. After the meeting was called to order by Mr. D. W. Higgins, M.P.P., the president, a resolution was moved by Mr. W. G. Cameron, seconded by Dr. Milne, to the effect that the original intention of building the line out toward the Jubilee hospital be abandoned, and the line extended to Victoria West in lieu.

Arguments pro and con were put forward by several of the shareholders, and on being put to the vote the motion was lost by 2864 ayes to 680 noes. This large majority was no doubt largely due to remarks made by the president, who stated that in a few months the line would be extended to Esquimalt and Victoria West.

The question of a retiring director coming up, Mr. M. Cowan voluntarily retired and Ald. Wilson, the city's representative, takes his place.

Dr. T. J. Jones vigorously supported the existing arrangement and said that a change now would seriously impair the company's usefulness.

RATS!

And How They Worried a Well-Known Man of Music.

A well-known musical man of this city, who is not a man of family, lately took apartments for a single gentleman at James Bay. Last night he met with an experience anything but pleasant. While lying wrapped in the arms of Morpheus and his *robe de nuit*, he was suddenly awakened by a peculiar sensation of pain in his left arm. To his horror he found that he was covered with a swarm of rats, one of which had gnawed through the sleeve of his night dress and was commencing to make a meal off the flesh it covered. Springing from his couch the man of notes seized a $7 umbrella and wildly brandishing it made an attack on the ravenous rodents, which fled in swarms but not before the umbrella had been totally wrecked in the fray. After the short battle was over and the four-footed foes put to flight, he sought again to sleep, but 'twas in vain for the rats returned again and the whole night was passed in repelling their attacks.

Morning dawned at last, and wearied with his lack of sleep the gentleman proceeded to array himself, after which he packed his traps and indited the following note to the landlady:

"DEAR MRS. ——: I am compelled to leave your premises. The month's rent I paid you are welcome to, as it is impossible for me to remain in the room. The reason I will state in one short word—RATS!"

DEATH OF E. V. BODWELL.

He Expires at Field While Returning From the East.

A telegraphic dispatch was received by Mr. E. V. Bodwell, Jr., this morning, informing him of the sudden death of his father, Mr. E. V. Bodwell, at Field, British Columbia. The elder Mr. Bodwell was at the time on his way to Vancouver by the C. P. R., but no particulars as to the cause of death can be learned.

The deceased gentleman was well known and respected here, he having been a resident of the province since 1881. Before he came here he was for about six years superintendent of the Welland Canal. Previous to this he had been a prominent figure in politics, having been returned to parliament by acclamation from South Oxford, Ont., at the general election of 1867, and again re-elected by acclamation in 1871. He was a Liberal and opposed to the government of Sir John Macdonald.

Mr. Bodwell was at the time of his death sixty-four years of age. He was born in Missouri, Middlesex, Ont., his parents having come from the States. He was a graduate of Wisconsin University. During his lifetime he filled many positions of trust, having been town clerk and treasurer of Oxford, councillor, reeve, warden and local superintendent of county councils. He was also at one time president of the board of trustees for the Canadian Literary Institute, Woodstock.

When Mr. Bodwell severed his connection with the Welland Canal he came to this province, and was for some time accountant and auditor of the Department of Works. About 1886 he was superannuated and went into real estate business in Vancouver, and has since been identified with the progress of that city. He was a man of sterling worth and strict business habits, making friends with all whom he came in contact, and enjoying the esteem of all. Two sons and three daughters mourn his loss. The sympathy of many friends will be extended to them in the hour of sorrow.

IT GOT THERE.

Fraser River Salmon Fresh and Sweet in Glasgow.

When Andrew Gray, of the firm of Spratt & Gray, left this city for Scotland last September, he took with him a fresh salmon caught in the Fraser river, which was frozen in a solid block of ice by Ald. Kelly. Mr. Gray travelled nearly 7000 miles and so did the fish, but the whole is best told in a letter from Andrew to Ald. Kelly, dated Sept. 30th, from Holmhead House, Addington, Scotland.

MR. GRAY WAS SCEPTICAL

at the start and says: "I must confess that I felt rather doubtful of the success of our experiment, and on reaching Vancouver I felt inclined to pitch the box overboard. However, I sent it by express to New York via Montreal, going via Toronto myself, where I passed two days seeing the city and exhibition. My first business was to see about the salmon, which I found had been delivered on board the steamship City of New York in the butcher's care, and he had it in the refrigerating room with a constant temperature of 18 degrees below freezing point, where it remained until arrival at Liverpool. The passage across was made in 6 days, 5 hours and 25 minutes. At Liverpool the customs officers made me open the salmon box, and much to my delight

THE FISH WAS FRESH,

but only a few small pieces of ice were left in the box mixed with the sawdust, and the weight of the box had decreased fully one-half. The trip from Liverpool to Glasgow was done during the night, and being pretty cool it did not affect the fish much. The box on reaching Glasgow, Sept. 26th (leaving Victoria, Sept. 7th) was at once unpacked and the salmon

AGAIN PURSED OUT PERFECTLY SWEET.

The three trout, which were unfortunately packed without their entrails being taken out, were a little loud, and were thrown away. The salmon was at once consigned to the pot, and when cooked and put on the dinner table entire on a large plate with a wreath of parsley around it,

LOOKED AS FRESH

as if it had been alive and swimming the day before, and tasted equally as good, thus proving the success of providing fresh salmon in England from the Fraser river. My salmon cost me $18.50 in express charges, but I know you will be equally pleased with myself at the success of this experiment."

Real Estate Sales.

Messrs. Bourchier & Higgins report their sales for the week as follows: two houses and lots, Fort street, $4,300; 5½ acres on Craigflower road to W. Borns, Esq., $4,130; lot 44, Beckley Farm, to G. Whiteside, Esq., for $500; lot on Carr street, to C. E. Mallette, for $800; 15 acres on Oak Bay avenue, to a syndicate for $10,500, and 79 acres in Port Angeles for $6,000, making a total of $25,580.

Mr. Frank Richards reports as follows: Victoria city, $10,375; Victoria West, $785; Nelson City, $1,000; total, $12,160.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Will Soon Arrive.

The officials of the Knights of Pythias have received advices that the uniforms and regalia for the uniform rank of the order, ordered for Far West Lodge, were shipped on the 8th inst., and are expected daily to arrive. The cost of the uniforms will be over $1200, and, when donned the Knights will look splendid indeed.

The Coming Concert.

The concert to be given in the Victoria on Tuesday night next, in aid of the Jubilee hospital, is attracting attention. Miss Bodington and Mr. Treglohan, R. N., have kindly offered their services as accompanists. The use of a fine toned piano has been gratuitously offered by M. W. Waitt & Co., and the favor is appreciated.

Fashionable Dress and Mantle Making.

Miss McIntosh, late of Minneapolis, has opened dressmaking parlors on the S. W. corner of Yates and Broad streets, immediately over Hampson & Terry's cash dry goods establishment, where she will be pleased to meet the ladies of Victoria requiring her services. 1w.

That is Better.

Vancouver News.—The 'Frisco boat will arrive this morning and it is expected that her cargo will be handled by local longshoremen. An agreement has been entered into whereby the strike has been ended, and all are at liberty to go to work again. Wages are the same as formerly, but there will be no recognition of the Union so far as the men being employed through a delegate is concerned.

Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Perhaps the above play has been well acted during the past, but it certainly was not even up to an ordinary point of excellence last night. One little ray of talent, however, broke through the darkness. That single streak was the acting of the little lord, and but for it the audience, what there was of it, would have wept. The intentions of the actors may be good, but the results are not pleasant to those who go to be amused.

Sneak Thieving.

In the city police court this morning Frank Ward, a recent arrival from the American shores, was charged with stealing an overcoat valued at $9, from the Oriental hotel. The prisoner pleaded guilty, but made a statement to the effect that he had yesterday arrived from the other side, and had got into bad company, got full on Canadian rye-juice, and being foolish through his condition had taken the coat. He had, after he got out of the hotel, become aware of the fact that he had done wrong and had offered a Chinaman a dollar to take the coat back to the place it belonged to. He was 36 years old and never been in a court before; he was not a thief. An employee of the hotel told an altogether different story, substantially that the prisoner had taken the coat while sober, and had, when followed, gone to a house of ill-repute on Broad street, from there down Johnson street to Brackman & Ker's store, where he threw the coat behind a stack of flour, and then took to his heels. His Honor sized up the prisoner, and in a very brief way sent him up for three months with hard labor.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—A Maguire, F Hewicke, Mrs Bowlsby, Miss Peterson, A Telford, F E Shade, Mrs Capt Grant, W McPhadden, A C Fraser, Mrs A C Fraser, J J Hayden, J H Smith, Mrs Wakeman, Celia Buchholzky, Hannah Buchholzky, E E Baker, H S Cunningham, S D Ibos, G A Lundberg, E H Fletcher, W D Le Lacier, Geo Gilman, W F McWorth, W Horner, Master Agne, D Dolington, Mrs Johnston, J Hilson, Capt McAllister, T Elford, John Robinson, Robt Davies, H McMillan 2 brotherson, John Smith, Joseph Smith, Jno Lindgren, Mr Bryne, G Ede, F F Glenn, John Campbell, W Lockhart, J H Little, Geo Vallet, Mrs Ames, Mrs L E Woods, Frank Dean, Mrs H Coughlan, Mrs Pascal, W M Wraner, W Lockwood, J Short, W Jenne, C W Brindley, G Patterson, Geo Davis, F M Litt, F E Benish, J M Sisson, Thos Woods, Chas Coulthern, E Field, J O Downie, G Gilder, Jas Hill, C P Wasteman, Jas Hoarne, Geo Ames, Wilber Clary, F Graham, Mrs F McLellan, N Johnson, S B Anderson, Miss Tabbitt, Miss V Campbell, J Le Cure, Mary Wiseman, P Gowan, F G Walker.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—N Frank, F Ally, J Connell, Mrs Sedock, M McDougall, F Zahn, R Cressman, E L Harter, H Green, M W Falkner, J Dougall, H Biddal, J Southcott, J O Brien, C Rosen, Mrs Johnson, A King, J Rogers, Mrs Hatrack, W H Oakes and wife, Miss B Oaks, Miss M Oakes, H Walbey, L Buckley, S Miller, W H Dorsey, J D Lovejoy, Mrs Brant, J H Walmott, Capt R H Mardin, F A Crosby, F Drake, Mrs Metcalf, H McBlashfield, B Jarrett, E A Campbell, E A Kassuth, J W Casby, J B Huddleston, T Desmond, E Fogle, Mrs Harrison, 5 Indians, 1 Chinaman.

Consignees.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—C Strouss & Co, W H Jeffree, John Weller, Fred Norris, Shears & Page, J Isaacs, F McCammon, Mrs Wright, R P Rithet, M W Waitt & Co, Pemberton, W Wilson, R Ditts, Canadian Pacific Navigation Co, J A T Caten, H Bornstein, J H Baker, Mrs J Newcomb, Butchart & Co, Pohl & Co, Braden & Stanford, McLennan & McFeely, Marvin & Tilton, H Short, W H Adams, Major Nicholls, Feeley & Co, Bain Exp Co.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—John Weller, D H Ross & Co, T J Trapp, J A Z Caton & Co.

Per Str. City of Puebla, from San Francisco—Amos Holden Co, A J R & Co, A Crawford & Co, A Lazarus, A & W Wilson, Angus & Gordon, Albion Iron Works, A W Wright, Gilmore & McCandless, H A L, H R Co, H F Heward, H M Cunningham, H Hearn, Hip Lung, J H Todd & Son, Braden & S, C W Rogers, Carne & Munsie, C Day, J H Ross & Co, J Morris, E Wishart, Foster Bros, Ferguson & B, Fook Yuen, J Canning, J & A C, Jay & Co, J Fisher, J Piney & Co, J P M & Co, J C Davin, Mott & McF, Mrs R B McMicking, McDonald Bros, N & Benoni, Rogsado & Sons, P Peebles, T Deasy, T W Fletcher, Tong Lee, W Godfrey, W Croft, Wm Tietjen, W J McMillan, Langley & Co, R P Rithet & Co, R V Winch, Baker & Son, H Maynard, H J Pitts, S Leiser, S Ashland, T Earle, Hibben & Co.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LAW SOCIETY.

A MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF THE Legal Profession will be held at the barristers' room, new Law Courts, on Monday, the 21st October inst., at 10 o'clock a.m. sharp.
J. P. WALLS,
oct19-1t Secretary.

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HAMS, "FIDELITY,"	per lb		18
BACON	per lb		16
COFFEE, No. 1, Mocs and Javs	per lb		45
" One Blend	per lb		35
" Common	3 lbs in 1 lb packages		90
TEA, M. M	5 lbs for		1 50
" My Own Blend	5 lbs for		2 00
" Y. S.	per lb		40
TOBACCO, T. & B.	5 plugs for		1 00
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oct8 JOHN TEAGUE, Jr.

TENDERS FOR REFRESHMENTS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, 21st October, for furnishing refreshments (other than liquors) at the Victoria Driving Park, during the races on the occasion of the Governor-General's visit, on the 3rd and 4th November next.
D. E. CAMPBELL,
oct18 Sec'y.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase twelve hundred and eighty (1280) acres of land situated in Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, and described as follows: Commencing at the south-west corner of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim, thence west 40 chains; thence south 160 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement.
S. W. DUCHANT,
PATRICK HICKEY.
Victoria, Oct. 17th, 1889. oct18

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Fifth do	do do	25.00
Sixth do	Baby Carriage	25.00
Seventh do	Gents Silver Watch	25.00
Eighth do	Black Silk Dress	20.00
Ninth do	Set of Agate Ware	20.00
Tenth do	Silk or Velvet Dress	20.00
Ten Gifts valued at $20.00 each		200.00
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Ten do do 10.00 do		100.00
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